

Message

From: Chesnutt, John [Chesnutt.John@epa.gov]
Sent: 3/18/2021 9:59:49 PM
To: Lyons, John [Lyons.John@epa.gov]; Herrera, Angeles [Herrera.Angeles@epa.gov]
CC: Huang, Judy [Huang.Judy@epa.gov]; Alpern, Michael [Alpern.Michael@epa.gov]; Giarmoleo, Julia [Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov]; Gill, Sonam [Gill.Sonam@epa.gov]; Nguyen, Ylan [nguyen.ylan@epa.gov]; Butler, Thomas [Butler.Thomas@epa.gov]; Alpern, Michael [Alpern.Michael@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes
Attachments: Draft Response to Mayor Alegria v1.docx; 20210310_DDT_Jordan.pdf

John and Angeles, Please review the draft response to the Mayor of Rancho Palos Verdes, and share with Enrique if you think it is far enough along. As envisioned, it is based on the Feinstein response, and says no more. Actually, it says a bit less.

Thanks, John

From: Gill, Sonam <Gill.Sonam@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 17, 2021 4:15 PM
To: Chesnutt, John <Chesnutt.John@epa.gov>; Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>
Cc: Huang, Judy <Huang.Judy@epa.gov>; Alpern, Michael <Alpern.Michael@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes

Hi all,

Just to add, Debbie would like to send the response to the Mayor at the same time or shortly after we respond to Senator Feinstein (hopefully by Friday or Monday at the latest).

Sonam

From: Chesnutt, John <Chesnutt.John@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 17, 2021 4:13 PM
To: Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>
Cc: Gill, Sonam <Gill.Sonam@epa.gov>; Huang, Judy <Huang.Judy@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes

Julia, since the Feinstein response is now coming together so we can pick up the Mayor's letter again. I think it can be a basis for a response to the Mayor, but I'm also seeing where the final CBS news response lands to see how that might also help form the response.

John

From: Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 17, 2021 3:31 PM
To: Chesnutt, John <Chesnutt.John@epa.gov>
Cc: Gill, Sonam <Gill.Sonam@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes

Hi John,

I just wanted to check in on the below and see how the response is going/if the Feinstein response is going to be the basis to respond to the Mayor's letter?

Thanks!

Julia

Julia Giarmoleo
Press Officer
Congressional and Intergovernmental Liaison
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX
giarmoleo.julia@epa.gov
213-326-2033

From: Alpern, Michael <Alpern.Michael@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2021 9:07 AM
To: Gill, Sonam <Gill.Sonam@epa.gov>; Giarmoleo, Julia <Giarmoleo.Julia@epa.gov>; Duarte, Romie <Duarte.Romie@epa.gov>; Yogi, David <Yogi.David@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes

For your awareness...more politicians pressing us on DDT dumping.

Mike Alpern - Director, Public Affairs
U.S. EPA Region 9 (Pacific Southwest)
(415) 947-4142 | alpern.michael@epa.gov
Follow us on Twitter: @EPARegion9



From: Jordan, Deborah <Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 10, 2021 6:12 PM
To: Manzanilla, Enrique <Manzanilla.Enrique@epa.gov>; Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov>
Cc: Alpern, Michael <Alpern.Michael@epa.gov>; Amato, Paul <Amato.Paul@epa.gov>; Ebbert, Laura <Ebbert.Laura@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes

Let's please prepare a response to the Mayor aligned with the response to Sen. Feinstein's letter. Thank you.

Deborah Jordan
Deputy Regional Administrator
U.S. EPA Region 9 / Pacific Southwest
75 Hawthorne Street (ORA)
San Francisco, CA 94105
415-297-5237 (mobile)

From: Megan Barnes <mbarnes@rpvca.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, March 10, 2021 6:06 PM
To: Jordan, Deborah <Jordan.Deborah@epa.gov>
Subject: Letter Regarding DDT Dumping - City of Rancho Palos Verdes

Good Afternoon,

Please see the attached letter from the City of Rancho Palos Verdes regarding offshore DDT dumping.

Thank you,

Megan Barnes
Senior Administrative Analyst
City Manager's Office
City of Rancho Palos Verdes
30940 Hawthorne Blvd.
Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275
310-544-5226
mbarnes@rpvca.gov

To limit public contact and help prevent the spread of COVID-19, City Hall is temporarily closed to the public, but services are available by telephone, email, online and limited curbside service. Some employees are working on rotation and may be working remotely. Please note that our response to your inquiry could be delayed. For a list of department phone numbers, visit the [Staff Directory](#) on the City website.